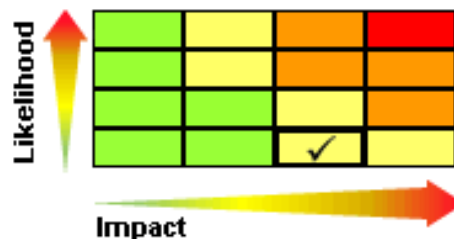
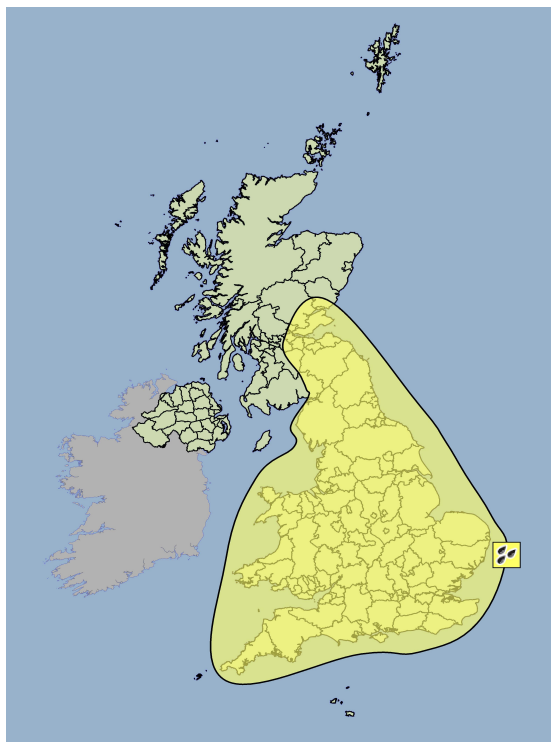




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

An area of low pressure pushing into southern UK early Thursday continues slowly northwards to be centred near or just east of Scotland by Friday afternoon. With very warm air entrained into the system, further outbreaks of locally heavy rainfall are likely during Friday, particularly during the early hours and morning, with locally in excess of 50 mm by the end of Friday. Localised thunderstorms may also develop across the south and east of England during Friday afternoon, these potentially giving 15-25 mm of rain in a few hours.

The development and subsequent track of this system is very complex, therefore the exact locations of where the heaviest rainfall will occur remains uncertain. With this in mind this warning will be updated during the coming days.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Alert of Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Fri, 14th Aug 2015** until **23:50 on Fri, 14th Aug 2015**

An area of locally heavy rain already affecting much of England and Wales as well as parts of Scotland at the start of Friday lingers across these areas through the early hours of Friday and Friday morning. Rain is likely to be both persistent and heavy at times. Also a risk of thunder, most likely over parts of England and Wales. This rain will tend to ease through the day, probably becoming confined to eastern UK by the end of Friday.

The public should be aware of a significant risk of localised disruption due to surface water flooding. Lightning may be an additional hazard.

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